

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

### Reference

18-19210 Homeless Patients

### Date sent

19/10/2018

### Subject

Homeless Patients 2010/11 to 2017/18

### Details of enquiry

1. Please provide the number of people admitted to your facilities/services for each of the last five financial years – plus 2018/19 to date if possible – recorded as being homeless or having no fixed abode.
2. Please detail any services the organisation provides specifically – or particularly aimed at – the homeless. ie outreach services, homeless clinics. Please provide the annual budgetary cost of these services and the number of staff contracted/employed to work in them.

### Response Sent

Our response provides data on patients, referred by their GP to our Trust for [outpatient](#) treatment, and who have self-identified themselves as homeless, or of no fixed abode. This data can not be considered as comprehensive, because we do not mandatorily record whether referred patients' addresses are permanent, temporary, or any other kind of address.

Financial Year	Accommodation Status	External Code **	No Of Patients	Financial Year	No Of Patients
	Temporary accommodation				2
2010 / 2011	LA Placement	HM03	2	2010 / 2011	
					6
2013 / 2014	in Temp Acc	HM05	3	2013 / 2014	
2013 / 2014	Other homeless	HM07	3	2014 / 2015	29
	LA Placement				54
2014 / 2015	in Temp Acc	HM05	1	2015 / 2016	
2014 / 2015	Other homeless	HM07	2	2016 / 2017	253
2014 / 2015	Squatting	HM02	1	2017 / 2018	1644
	Staying with friends/family				720
2014 / 2015	Temporary accommodation	HM06	19	2018 / 2019	
2014 / 2015	accommodation	HM03	6		
2015 / 2016	Sofa surfing	HM04	1	<b>Total:</b>	<b>2708</b>
	Staying with friends/family				
2015 / 2016	friends/family	HM06	44		

Financial Year	Accommodation Status	External Code **	No Of Patients	Financial Year	No Of Patients
2015 / 2016	Temporary accommodation	HM03	9		
2016 / 2017	LA Placement in Temp Acc	HM05	7		
2016 / 2017	Other homeless	HM07	8		
2016 / 2017	Sofa surfing	HM04	1		
2016 / 2017	Staying with friends/family	HM06	217		
2016 / 2017	Temporary accommodation	HM03	20		
2017 / 2018	LA Placement in Temp Acc	HM05	27		
2017 / 2018	Other homeless	HM07	5		
2017 / 2018	Rough sleeper	HM01	1		
2017 / 2018	Sofa surfing	HM04	3		
2017 / 2018	Squatting	HM02	3		
2017 / 2018	Staying with friends/family	HM06	1554		
2017 / 2018	Temporary accommodation	HM03	51		
2018 / 2019	LA Placement in Temp Acc	HM05	10		
2018 / 2019	Other homeless	HM07	1		
2018 / 2019	Staying with friends/family	HM06	685		
2018 / 2019	Temporary accommodation	HM03	24		
<b>Total:</b>			<b>2708</b>		

**Key to External Codes**

These codes are located on the following NHS website, and are also listed below, for ease of reference.

[https://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/data\\_dictionary/attributes/a/acc/accommodation\\_status\\_code\\_de.asp?shownav=1?query=%22homeless%22&rank=100&shownav=1](https://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/data_dictionary/attributes/a/acc/accommodation_status_code_de.asp?shownav=1?query=%22homeless%22&rank=100&shownav=1)

Key Code	Definition
HM00	Homeless
HM01	Rough Sleeper
HM02	Squatting
HM03	Night shelter/emergency hostel/Direct access hostel (temporary accommodation accepting self referrals, no waiting list and relatively frequent vacancies)

Key Code	Definition
HM04	Sofa surfing (sleeps on different friends floor each night)
HM05	Placed in temporary accommodation by Local Authority (including Homelessness resettlement service) eg Bed and Breakfast accommodation
HM06	Staying with friends/family as a short term guest
HM07	Other homeless